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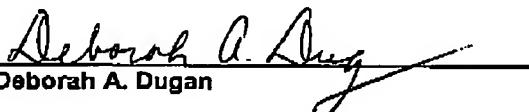
In re Application of:) Art Unit: 1642
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Filed: December 6, 2001)
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DIAGNOSIS AND METHOD FOR)
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Response to Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121

Sir:

This Communication is being filed in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed August 4, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the Restriction Requirement was originally due on September 4, 2004. As part of this Communication, Applicant is filing a Petition for a Two (2) Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the deadline to file a response to the August 4, 2004 Restriction Requirement to November 4, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.